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Lisbon, April 13, N. S.

ON Saturday the 4th Instant the Brasil Fleet, consisting of 22 Merchant Ships under the Convoy of two Men of War, sailed out of this Harbour for the Bahia. This Fleet is reckoned one of the richest that has gone thither for some Years; and our Merchants agree, that the Demand of British Manufactures has scarce ever been known so great here as it has been of late. The Departure of the Fleet for the Rio de Janeiro, which was to have been dispatched at the same Time, is now deferred to the Beginning of June. On the 27th past sailed from hence His Britannick Majesty's Ships the Dursley Galley, Trial Sloop and Winchelsea, the two first for Gibraltar, and the latter for Cadiz; and on the 7th Instant the Dragon, another British Man of War, proceeded for the Mediterranean; there remains in this Harbour the British Man of War the Lime, which arrived here the 24th past, and will sail in a few Days with a Supply for the Forces in Minorca.

Lisbon, April 14, N. S. On the 24th of March, N. S. the honourable Thomas Lumley, Esq; His Britannick Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary to the Court of Portugal, arrived here. The same Day Don Diego de Mendonça, Secretary of State, sent to let him know, that he intended the Day following to make him a Visit; which he accordingly did. Mr. Worsey, whom Mr. Lumley came to relieve, having had his Audience of Leave of their Portuguese Majesties on the 10th Instant, the latter delivered Copies of his credential Letters to the Secretary of State on the 11th; and will speedily have his Audience of their Portuguese Majesties. He has also notified his Arrival to all the foreign Ministers at this Court, from whom he has received the usual Compliments.

Madrid, April 20, N. S. The Duke of Ossuna arrived here Post from Paris the 6th Instant at Night, and having waited on the King, was received by his Majesty with all Marks of Favour. On the 7th the Marquess de Tous and Don Sancho de Villanueva, Deputies from the City of Seville, had Audience of the King and Queen, and of the Prince and Princess of Asturias, being introduced by the Duke of Medina-Celi. Their Catholick Majesties, with the Royal Family, went from hence the 8th Instant to Aranjuez, there to reside for some time. Don Melchior de Mendieta Lieutenant General who commanded at Peniscola, is made Governour of Tortosa. A Marriage is concluded between the Duke of Medina Sidonia and a Daughter of the Count de San Estevan.

Cambray, May 4, N. S. The Chevalier Delaval, sent by the Great Master of the Order of Knights of Malta to reside here during the Congress, arrived the 26th past. Some of the Lord Whitworth's Servants are come hither, in order to make the necessary Preparations against his Excellency's Arrival. The first of this Month being St. Philip's Day, the Count de San Estevan, first Ambassadour of the King of Spain, invited all the Ambassadors and their Gentlemen to Dinner. There were three Tables, one of 24 Covers, one of 20,

and one of 6. The Entertainment was very magnificent. After Dinner all the Gentlemen and Ladies of Distinction of the Town, came to compliment the Count on the Day, and at Night there was a Ball: His Garden and the Fore-Court of his House were finely illuminated.

Paris, May 6. Orders having been lately given for collecting at the Gates of Paris, the ancient Duties on Goods brought into this City, which have been for some time abolished; the Parliament of Paris did a few Days ago take into Consideration, whether they should make Remonstrances to the King against those Orders, or whether they should nominate some of their Body to examine into the Matter and make Report to them: The latter was carried by a Majority of Votes, and some Counsellours were named accordingly, who having drawn up their Report, offered it to the Parliament on the 4th Instant, but the reading of it was put off till Tomorrow; when the Parliament will proceed to a Decision, as to the Regularity of the Form that has been used in the re-establishing of those Duties, and as to the Justice and Necessity of collecting them at this Time. The Party in the Parliament, who in the first Debate carried the Question against the making any Remonstrances, will probably carry the Question Tomorrow in a Manner agreeable to the Court. The Duke de Tresmes, Governour of Paris, has resigned his Title and Privileges of Duke and Peer to his Son the Duke de Gelves, who on the 4th took his Seat in Parliament, in the Presence of the Princes of the Blood and of a good Number of Dukes who appeared on that Occasion. The same Day the Parliament received M. d'Argenson into their Assembly, in the Quality of Lieutenant General de Police.

Torrey, April 24. This Day Mr. Worsey arrived here in the King George Packet-Boat, after a Passage of 18 Days from Lisbon.

Whitehall, May 1.

* Henry Worsey, Esq; His Majesty's late Envoy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at the Court of Portugal, arriving last Night, was this Day introduced to His Majesty at St. James's by the Right Honourable the Lord Carteret one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and was very favourably received: He is preparing to set out with all Expedition for his Government of Barbadoes.

Member chosen for the ensuing Parliament.

County of Carmarthen. Edward Price, Esq;

Whitehall, April 16, 1722.

This is to signify in His Majesty's Name, that if any Person or Persons shall hereafter apprehend any one or more Highwaymen, who from and after the Date hereof shall have robbed any of the Mails, or shall have been concerned as Accomplices in the robbing of any of them, such Person or Persons shall have a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds for each Offender, who shall be convicted thereof, to be paid by the Receiver General of the Post-Office, over and above the Reward directed by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Person hereafter concerned in robbing any of the Mails shall make a Discovery of the same, so that his Accomplice or Accomplices shall be convicted thereof, such Per-

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you shall have His Majesty's most gracious Pardon, and also receive the Reward of Two Hundred Pounds for each Offender so convicted, to be paid as aforesaid.

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Victualling-Office, April 30, 1722.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 30th of May next, in the Forenoon, they shall be ready to treat with such Persons as are inclinable to furnish White and Bay Salt, as also Hambrough Pipe and Hoghead-Staves for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

Whereas there have been Stolen out of the United East India Company's Warehouse at Botolph-Wharf, Fifty three Bags of Cowries, and Thirty three Bags of Salt-Petre: This is to give Notice, that whosoever shall discover the Person or Persons concerned in stealing and taking away the said Cowries and Salt-Petre, so as they or any one or more of them shall be convicted thereof, such Person or Persons discovering the same to Mr. Thomas Woolley, Secretary of the said Company, at the East-India House in Leaden-Hall-Street, London, or to Mr. Francis White, or Mr. John Shore, Warehouse-Keepers to the said Company, at their Office at Botolph Wharf aforesaid, shall receive of the said Company a Reward of Fifty Pounds, to be paid by their Cashier Mr. Charles Du Bois, at his Office at the East-India-House aforesaid.

Notice is hereby given by Mr. Henry Cooley, Agent to the Captors of the Spanish Prizes taken by His Majesty's Fleet under the Command of Sir George Byng, (now Lord Viscount Torrington) in the Mediterranean Sea, in the Year 1718, That His Majesty has been graciously pleased, in regard to the Service of his faithful Seamen, to pay the Sum of Twenty Two Thousand Five Hundred and Twelve Pounds Two Shillings and Eight Pence, for the Benefit of the said Captors, (being the Sum agreed and contracted for the Prizes, but not in any Part paid) and also the appraised Value of other Prizes never sold or contracted for, and are by Treaty to be returned to his Catholick Majesty; which together with all other Sums received by the said Agent for Ships, Stores, &c. sold, will be paid and distributed by the said Agent, pursuant to His Majesty's Gracious Declaration, and according to the Method used during the last War with France, at the Office for that purpose in George-Yard on Little-Tower-Hill, London, in the Manner following, That is to say, His Majesty's Ship Barfleur on Thursday the 10th Day of May Instant, Shrewsbury on Friday the 11th, Dorsetshire on Wednesday the 16th, Captain on Thursday the 17th, Royal Oak on Friday the 18th, Lenox on Monday the 21st, Essex on Tuesday the 22d, Breda on Wednesday the 23d, Kent on Thursday the 24th, Grafton on Friday the 25th, Burford on Wednesday the 30th, Rupert on Thursday the 31st, Orford on Friday the 1st of June following, Dunkirk on Monday the 4th, Rochester on Tuesday the 5th, Superbe on Wednesday the 6th, Canterbury on Thursday the 7th, Rippon on Friday the 8th, Dreadnought on Tuesday the 12th, Montague on Wednesday the 13th, Argyle on Thursday the 14th, Loos Hospital-Ship and Success Store-Ship on Friday the 15th, and Garland and Griffin Fire-Ships on Monday the 18th of the said June; and that all such Shares in any of the said Ships as are not then demanded, may be received at the said Office every Tuesday and Thursday Morning for three Years to come. And whereas the Charles Galley and Two Bomb Vessels have put in their Claims to their Proportion of the said Distribution, but have not yet adjusted the same; their Shares will be retained in the Agent's Hands, until the same is determined, and if the same be adjudged against them, such Shares shall be distributed to the said other Ships at the next Distribution.

N. B. The Agent thinks himself obliged to give so many Days Notice of the Payment, as above, in regard to such Officers and Seamen, or their Attornies, as may be now at the several Out-Ports of the Kingdom, that no false Powers or Misrepresentatives may be allowed in the Payments.

Union Fire-Office for Insuring Goods.

The Directors give Notice, That a General Meeting of the said Society will be held at their Office in Gutter-Lane, Chappside, on Wednesday the 9th of this Instant May, at Four in the Afternoon, upon Special Affairs. N. B. Persons may insure their Household-Goods, or Goods in Trade, from Loss by Fire, at the said Office, on the same easy and disinterested Terms with those of the Hand-in-Hand Office for Houses.

Advertisements.

JOHN Postor, Pawnbroker, living in St. Thomas's, Southwark, near the Hospital, will lay down that Business; These are to give Notice, that any one that has either Linnen or Woollen Cloaths, Men's or Women's, of any sort, Rings or Plate, that are in his Possession, are desired to fetch them out by the 1st of June next, otherwise they will be sold.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Humphrey Skelton, of the Hay-Market, in the Parish of St. Martin's in the Fields, Upholder, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 4th, 11th, and 31st of May Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. John Smith, Attorney, in Bow-Lane, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Thomas Agutter, late of Woolston, in the County of Northampton, Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 8th, 9th, and 31st of May Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the Talbot Inn in Northampton aforesaid; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against James Barres, of Manchester, in the County of Lancashire, Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt; is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 9th, 10th, and 31st of May Instant, at Nine in the Forenoon, at the House of John Hawkiwell, being the Old Coffee-House in Manchester aforesaid; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and chuse Assignees. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Matthew Tyndale, the Elder, Citizen and Haberdasher of London, intend to meet on the 21st of May Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are then to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.

Whereas John Clark, late of Cheveley, in the County of Berks, Butcher, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice that he will attend the Commissioners on the 7th or 14th of May Instant, at Nine in the Forenoon, at the Crown Inn in Faringdon, in the said County of Berks, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas Henry Cairnes, of Kipp's Arms Yard, Coleman-Street, London, Merchant, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; This is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 14th of May Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-Money, and to object, if they think fit, against the Commissioners making his Certificate in order for his Discharge.

FOR the great Benefit of all such who are afflicted with Lunacies, Distraction, or Madnefs, this is to give Notice, that the late Rector of Medburn, near Market-Harborough, in Leicestershire, restored great Numbers of distracted Persons to their right Senses again; and that his Executor, who lives at Medburn aforesaid, has done the same for several Years past, and within two Years last has had above Twenty under his Care, and not one which he knows have fail'd of being perfectly cured. Ten or Twelve Days is the longest Time he takes to restore them to their Senses. Note, Not any have relapsed or fallen again. The daily Experience I have had of the Success of my Medicine, has made me think fit to publish it all over the Kingdom, that all who are afflicted with this dreadful Distemper may know where to apply (with God's Blessing) for a certain, safe, and easy Remedy.